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Application No.: 10/519,941 First Named Applicant: Masaya Tanaka
 Examiner: Clinton Ostrup Art Unit: 3771 Status of Application: after Final Office Action

Tentative Participants:

(1) Andrew D. Meikle (2) _____
 (3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: August 3, 2010 Proposed Time: 1:30pm (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO
 If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>rejections</u>	<u>1,2,4,6,13,14</u>	<u>Tanaka, Nishino</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) <u>rejection</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Geduouin</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) <u>Tanaka Dec</u>	<u>all</u>	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

☐ Proposed Amendment or Arguments Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Scope of prior art to be discussed. Tanaka 132 Dec is viewed too narrowly, perhaps Examiner has suggestions for improvement. Applicant proposes adding that viscous material is "acidic with a pH of 6.5 to 4" (p. 17 of spec).

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____

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Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Andrew D. Meikle

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

32,868

Registration Number, if applicable

Examiner/SPE Signature

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